

REMARKS

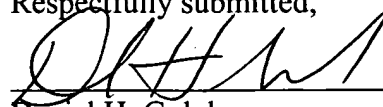
Claims 29 and 31-36 are pending. Claims 1-28 and 30 are cancelled without prejudice.

In the last official action, the Examiner allowed claims 31-36 and indicated that claim 29 would be allowable if re-written in independent form. In response, Applicant has re-written claim 29 in independent form. All claims other than claims 29 and 31-36 have been cancelled.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that all pending claims are allowable. A Notice of Allowance is therefore earnestly solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees due in connection with this filing Deposit Account 50-0310. A duplicate of this authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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